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HONGKONG, MONDAY, JANUARY 17, 1898.

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PRICE, \$2.50 PER MONTH.

OUR JEWELLERY DEPARTMENT  
HAVING been REPLEN-  
ISHED with a large se-  
lection of the latest English  
and American NOVELTIES,  
we are prepared to execute  
orders for FANCY WORK with  
neatness and despatch, and at  
very moderate rates.

CHINA MAIL OFFICE.



222 Sold by LANE, CRAWFORD & CO., G. GIRAUT, at THOMAS'S GRILL ROOM, and all Retail Stores.

PERSEVERANCE LODGE OF  
HONGKONG, No. 1,165.

A Regular MEETING of the above  
LODGE will be held in the TRA-  
MANS HALL, Zetland Street, THIS  
VENING, the 17th Instant, at 8.30 for  
9.00 p.m. precisely. VISITING BRETHREN  
are cordially invited to attend.

Hongkong, January 17, 1898. 71

THE MEDICAL MISSIONARY  
SOCIETY IN CHINA.

THE FIFTY-NINTH ANNUAL MEETING  
of this Society will be held in  
CANTON, at the House of Messrs.  
SHewan, TOME & CO., on WEDNES-  
DAY, January 19th, at Two and a-half  
o'clock P.M.

E. W. IRVING,  
Hon. Secretary.  
Hongkong, January 18, 1898. 113

RWARD \$10.  
LOST SIAMESE CAT, MALE; alive and  
in name of SMUT.  
Brown Tail, Paws, and Muzzles.  
Above Reward paid to anyone bringing  
same to:

INSPECTOR PHILLIPS,  
36, Stamford St.  
Hongkong, January 18, 1898. 103

HONGKONG, CANTON AND MACAO  
STEAMBOAT CO., LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE Sixty-Third Ordinary Half-Yearly  
MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS  
in the Company will be held at the Offices  
of the Company, No. 18, Bank Buildings,  
Queen's Road Central, on SATURDAY,  
the 29th Instant, at 12 o'clock Noon, for  
the purpose of receiving a Report of the  
Directors, together with a Statement of  
Accounts, declaring a DIVIDEND and electing  
Auditors.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Com-  
pany will be CLOSED from the 10th to  
19th Instant inclusive.

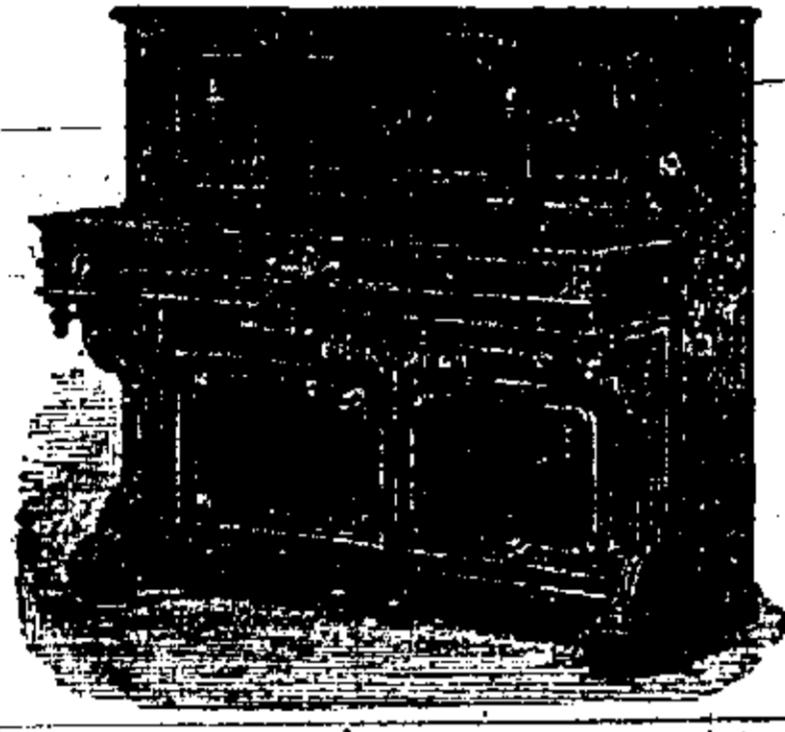
By Order of the Board of Directors,  
T. ARNOLD,  
Secretary.  
Hongkong, January 11, 1898. 70

TRADE MARK 和源

Hong Nams  
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TELEPHONE No. 136. 46

H. PRICE & CO.,  
No. 12, Queen's Road, Central.

ROBINSON PIANO COMPANY.



HIGH QUALITY, LOW PRICE.  
EASY MONTHLY PAYMENTS.

XERES VERMOUTH.

FRENCH VERMOUTH is generally made from WHITE WINE,  
but lately Messrs. CUSENIER & CO. erected a plant at  
enormous cost for the preparation of VERMOUTH from PURE  
XERES SHERRY. The result is a great success, and will appeal to  
all lovers of this delicious drink, for not only is it much superior in  
quality to the ordinary VERMOUTH, but it is the correct combination of  
a BAMBOO.

Owing to our being Sole Agents we can offer it at the Low Price of  
\$11.00 per dozen litre Bottles.

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No. 12, Queen's Road, Central.

PEAK HOTEL.

1350 FEET ABOVE SEA LEVEL.

A FIRST-CLASS HOTEL adjoining the Tramway Terminus. Fine HEALTHY  
LOCATION, Commanding Magnificent View of the City and Harbour, the Mainland  
of China, and island cool southern breezes in Summer, with perfect protection against  
the North-East winds in Winter.

A Covered Way has been constructed from the Station to the Hotel.

The Hotel is now under European Management.

GEO. J. CASANOVA, Manager.

Offices, No. 7, Duddell Street. 1764

PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STEAM  
NAVIGATION COMPANY

WILL despatch VESSELS to the Undermentioned PORTS on the DATES  
named:-

FOR STEAMSHIP. CAPTAIN. DATE.

LONDON.....Jobs.....J. CHESTER, R.N.R.....About 21st January.

SHANGHAI.....Ganges.....T. F. CIBBER.....About 23rd January.

LONDON, &c.....Perma \* .....C. H. S. TOOCHE, R.N.R.....Noon, 27th January.

SHANGHAI, N.K.L. ....KOB & YOKO.....F. O. A. LYON, R.N.R.....About 27th January.

KOBE & YOKOHAMA...Roxita.....E. N. TILLARD.....Noon, 28th January.

NSAKI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA...Roxita.....E. N. TILLARD.....Noon, 28th January.

LONDON.....Ceylon.....R. R. PEACE.....About 5th February.

\* See Special Advertisement.

For Freight or Passage, and further Particulars, apply to:

H. A. RITCHIE, Superintendent.

P. & O. S. R. Co.'s Office.

Hongkong, January 17, 1898. 90

Old Blend  
Whisky  
OF THE  
White Horse  
Cellar

FROM THE  
ORIGINAL  
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Dated 1746.

The Old  
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Blend of the  
Coaching Days,  
without  
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HIGH-CLASS

EUROPEAN SPECIALITIES

FOR CHINESE LADIES AND GENTLEMEN.

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Hongkong, January 15, 1898. 116

JUST LANDED.

EX. S. S. 'CHINA'

AMERICAN ROLL BUTTER,

\$1.60 per Roll.

THE HONGKONG BUTCHERY CO.

11, 13 and 15, Central Market. 2301

CHAMPAGNE—1 doz. 2 doz.  
quarts pints

G. H. MUNN & CO. \$35.00 \$37.00

WHISKY—1 doz. bottle

De la's Imperial Institute \$10.00

McClelland's Special Selected 10.50

FORT WINE—1 doz. bottles

Gordon's 'Gipsy' Brand 824.00

Assorted CHAMPAGNE—1 doz. bottles

SHewan, TOME & CO., 10.50

Porter Central 10.50

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# THE CHINA MAIL.

MONDAY, JANUARY 17, 1898.

## Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION.  
THE Undersigned will Lex by PUBLIC AUCTION on  
**MONDAY,**  
the 24th day of January, 1898, at 3 o'clock P.M.,  
ON THE SITE,—

The SEVERAL LOTS NUMBERED 1 to 10 on PLAN to be set out at the AUCTIONEER'S OFFICE, for ERECTION OF BOOTHS AND MATSHEDS on the GOVERNMENT GROUNDS adjoining the RACE COURSE, North of the GRAND STAND ENCLOSURE.

TERMS.—Cash.  
For Conditions of Sale, Apply to  
**HUGHES & HOUGH,  
Auctioneers,**  
Hongkong, January 14, 1898. 113

## Intimations.

**Kinghorn & Macdonald,**  
Consulting Mechanical Engineers  
and Surveyors,  
CONTRACTORS FOR THE SUPPLY OF ALL KINDS OF MACHINERY AND APPARATUS.

SPECIFICATIONS, DESIGNS and DRAWINGS prepared for all Classes of SHIPS, MACHINERY and BOILERS.

New Work and Repairs supervised. Surveys undertaken and Reports prepared.

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JOHN W. KINGHORN,  
M.I.M.E., M.I.Bech.-R., London.

DONALD MACDONALD.

Hongkong, November 5, 1896. 223

KELLY & WALSH, LTD.

JUST LANDED  
THE CELEBRATED  
STARLEY'S PSYCHO BICYCLES

WITH  
DUNLOP TYRES AND  
SELF SEALING TUBES.

SOLE AGENTS FOR CHINA.  
KELLY & WALSH, LIMITED.  
Hongkong, January 8, 1898. 63

DENTISTRY.  
SUI SANG,  
(Lately Practising with Dr. I. SAKATA)  
DENTIST,  
No. 63, Queen's Road Central,  
Hongkong, January 1, 1898. 3

AMERICAN SYSTEM  
OF  
DENTISTRY.  
AT  
39, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL.  
CHADWICK K. E.  
(LATE OF FOOTE & NOBLE)  
Hongkong, July 12, 1897. 2586

## NOTICES to Consignees.

'WARRAK' LINE OF STEAMERS.  
NOTICE TO CONSIGNNEES.  
S. S. ARGYLL.

FROM GLASGOW, LIVERPOOL AND STRAITS.

CONSIGNEES of cargo are hereby informed that all goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the HONGKONG AND KOWLOON WHARF AND GODOWN COMPANY, at Kowloon, whence and/or from the wharves delivery may be obtained.

Optional cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before noon to-day.

No claims will be admitted after the goods have left the Godowns, and all goods remaining undelivered after the 20th instant will be subject to rent.

All claims against the steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 20th instant, or they will not be recognized.

All broken, chafed, and damaged goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 20th instant, at 3 p.m.

No fire insurance has been effected.

Bills of lading will be countersigned by DODDWEIL, CARLILL & CO., Agents.

Hongkong, January 14, 1898. 108

NOTICE TO CONSIGNNEES.  
THE PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL  
STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S  
STEAMER SHANGHAI

FROM ANTWERP, LONDON, PORT SAID AND STRAITS.

CONSIGNEES of cargo by the above-named vessel are hereby informed that their goods are being landed and placed at their risk in the HONGKONG AND KOWLOON WHARF AND GODOWN COMPANY'S Godowns at Kowloon, where each consignment will be sorted out mark by mark and delivery can be obtained as soon as the goods are landed.

Optional goods will be landed here unless instructions are given to the contrary before 4 p.m. To-day.

Goods cleared by the 20th instant, at 4 p.m., will be subject to rent.

No fire insurance will be effected by me in any case whatever.

All damaged packages must be left in the Godowns and a certificate of the damage obtained from the Godown Company within ten days after the vessel's arrival here, after which no claims will be recognized.

H. A. RITCHIE,  
Superintendent.  
Hongkong, January 14, 1898. 110

## To-day's Advertisements.

### UNITED SERVICE CLUB.

A SMOKING CONCERT will be held in the NEW CLUB ROOM, No. 4, Queen's Road Central, THIS EVENING, commencing at 8.30 P.M.  
Chair will be taken by Major Sir JOHN CAHINGTON, K.C., C.M.G.  
Hongkong, Jan. 17, 1898. 126

### ADMIRALTY WORKS DEPARTMENT.

TENDERERS are invited for the Supply and Delivery Free on WHARF at HONGKONG NAVAL YARD of FOUR GIANTERS, of either WIROT IRON, STEEL, or CAST IRON.

The GIANTERS are to be Twenty-eight feet long, not less than Twenty or more than 26 inches Deep, and Flanged Compression not less than 12 inches Wide and Capable of carrying a total load of Twenty-four tons uniformly distributed over a clear Span of 26 feet.

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## THE CHINA MAIL.

The appointment of Sergeant W. G. Warook to be an Inspector of Nuisances is gazetted.

Mr Gerald Lowther, the Secretary to the British Legation at Tokio, has gone on a tour of inspection in Formosa.

The stamp revenue last year was \$224,044, being an increase of \$35,745 on the amount collected in the previous year.

LIEUT. Howard, West Yorks, succeeds Capt. C. W. G. Knox, Rifle Brigade, as Garrison Adjutant at Singapore.

H.M.S. Edgar is to await the arrival of the French mail, and then proceeds for home with the time-expired men from the station.

The maximum temperature last month was 76.4, on the 10th, and the minimum 47.9, on the 25th. The rainfall for the month was 0.46 inch.

It is rumoured in Japan that some changes are likely to occur among the British Consulates at an early date owing to the expected retirement of Mr Trout, the Consul at Yokohama.

BANDMASTER Bentley, of the West Yorkshire Regiment, has not been long in getting into harness at Singapore. A concert was announced by Singapore exchanges for the 8th inst., and the West Yorkshire band and the Philharmonic Society were to play orchestral pieces under the baton of the popular Bandmaster.

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It is, we hope, another sign of the improved condition of things in the Colony, that the entries for the next Jockey Club Races are nearly double in money value than they were last year. The amount is this year \$825.

The arrangements for the Burns' Concert to be given by St. Andrew's Society in St George's Hall on the 26th inst., have been completed, and the concert promises to be even more successful than last year's. Messames Gordon, Hunt and Walling, Miss Murray Bain, and Messrs Balloch and Gilchrist will be the local soloists. Mr Alberg will play a violin solo, and His Excellency Major-General Black, C.B., will recite one of the poet's masterpieces, "Tam o' Shanter." Several pair songs are being practised by a male voice choir under the conductorship of Mr A. G. Ward. Seats may now be booked at the Music Saloon of the Robinson Piano Co. Details of the programme will be announced later.

The December number of the Quiver contains the substance of an address on the Army Temperance Association by the Right Hon. Lord Roberts, V.C., G.C.B., along with a photograph of the speaker. Speaking of the improvement effected by the Association amongst the soldiers in India, Lord Roberts said that the latest report from that country showed the admissions to hospital to be about 20 per cent less amongst men who do not belong to it, while as regards the decrease in crime the difference is even more remarkable, court-martial convictions amongst members of the Association being only 5.21 per thousand during 1896 as against 38.88 per thousand amongst men who do not belong to the Society. The Quiver's special commissioner to the Churches in the Colonies gives some interesting descriptions of Churches at the Cape. There is a mass of other useful and interesting information. The eighth number of the Queen's Empire depicts the pastimes of the people of the Empire, the first picture showing an animated scene in a London School playground. The picture of a Chinese theatre at Singapore is of local interest.

On the morning of the 6th inst., fire broke out in a building occupied by the China Export-Import-and-Bank Company at Kobe, and spread to the premises occupied by Messrs Reynell and Co. Mr Reynell's family had been sleeping in the upper rooms of the middle building. Mrs Reynell had aroused Mr Reynell saying that Chindie below seemed to be letting off crackers, and the rooms were so full of smoke that the children could not sleep. The fact proved to be that the floor was burning under them, and, realising this, Mr Reynell and his family hurriedly left the house. Mr Ellerton and his family had also to leave the building, but their house was not reached by the flames. The losses of the insurance companies will not be very heavy, as the godowns at the rear remained intact. There was a rather large stock of cigar in Reynell & Co.'s portion of the building, however, and there was also a considerable quantity of drugs and chemicals in the China Export-Import-and-Bank Co.'s section of the building. Mr Reynell's entire home was destroyed, and all the office furniture in the two sections of the building having been gutted.

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WANCHAI WAREHOUSE AND STORAGE COMPANY.

The seventh ordinary annual meeting of the shareholders in the Wanchai Warehouse and Storage Co., Ltd., was held today in the offices of the General Managers (Messrs Moyer and Co.). Mr J. G. Schrader presided.

The Nordenskjold declares that Germany does not enter China as a conqueror. [Quite so? Appearances may be against her, but Germany is animated by purely disinterested motives for the improvement of China!]

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Mr C. Schrader read the notice convening the meeting.

The Chairman said—Gentlemen, the reports and accounts for the past year have been circulated several days ago and with your permission I will follow the usual course and take them as read. By our agreement with the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, giving us a fixed rental for our premises and doing away with all active work on our part, the accounts have been simplified in such a manner that I do not think any comment on them is necessary. It only remains for me to add that the lessors have in a fair manner looked after the maintenance of the buildings as required by them under the lease, and I trust you will be satisfied with the arrangement.

Mr O. von Heyde seconded.

Carried.

Mr O. von Heyde proposed the election of Mr F. Henderson as auditor.

Mr H. Ehmer seconded.

Carried.

The Chairman—That is all the business before us, gentlemen. I am much obliged to you for your attendance. Dividend warrants will be ready to-morrow.

TOMORROW afternoon, on the Military Football Ground at the Happy Valley, D Company, R.L.R., will play B Company R.L.R., in the first round for the Hongkong Football Challenge Shield. Kick-off at four o'clock.

The third test match in the series of five arranged between Mr Stoddart's XI and All Australia was fixed to commence at Adelaide on Friday last, the 14th inst. The English Eleven won at Sydney and lost at Melbourne, where, according to recent reports from Australia, the weather must have been extremely hot. Reuter will probably announce the result of the match in a day or two. At Adelaide heat of 110° had been recorded.

REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.

[SUPPLIED TO THE 'CHINA MAIL']

LONDON, 14th January, 1898.

INDIAN FINANCE.

A Bill will be introduced into the Victoria Council providing for the issue of currency notes in India against gold paid to the Secretary of State.

THE DREYFUS AFFAIR.

The Government is prosecuting M. Zola for publishing a letter furiously denouncing Billot and other Generals for combining to perpetuate the conviction of Capt. Dreyfus and to exculpate Major Esterhazy.

THE BYE-ELECTION AT YORK.

Lord Charles Beresford was elected for York City by a majority of eleven over Sir Christopher Furness, the Radical candidate.

(Le Courier de Saigon.)

THE FAR EASTERN CRISIS.

PARIS, January 7.

It is denied that there is any alliance between Great Britain and Japan. Japan wishes to retain amicable relations equally with all the Powers.



## THE CHINA MAIL.

HONGKONG MARKET PRICES.  
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Yuan Chinese Name  
High. Low. Cash. Cash.

## 肉食

Beef, English,	lb.	—	來路	猪肉
" " Anne, Sugar cure,	lb.	—	花旗	烟熏猪肉
" " Foochow,	lb.	240	福州	烟熏猪肉
" " Japan, cured,	lb.	300	日本	烟熏猪肉
Beef, sirloin & prime cut, fatty	lb.	—	尾部	牛腩
Corned,	catty	145	牛腩	牛肉
" Roast,	"	130	牛腩	牛肉
Soup,	"	100	牛腩	牛肉
Steak,	"	140	牛腩	牛肉
Bullock's Brains,	per set	60	牛脑	牛脑
" Tongue fresh, each	250	—	牛舌	牛舌
" corned "	310	—	牛舌	牛舌
Head,	"	600	牛頭	牛頭
Heart,	"	100	牛心	牛心
Hump, Salt	catty	140	牛肩	牛肩
Kidneys,	"	60	牛腰	牛腰
Tail,	"	150	牛尾	牛尾
Liver,	catty	70	牛肚	牛肚
Tripe (undressed) catty	60	50	牛仔頭	牛仔頭
Calves' Head and Feet, set	500	—	花旗火腿	花旗火腿
Hams, American,	lb.	360	日本火腿	日本火腿
Chinese,	"	200	采路火腿	采路火腿
English, New,	"	400	日本火腿	日本火腿
Japan cured,	"	340	上海火腿	上海火腿
Shanghai,	"	260	平洋火腿	平洋火腿
Mutton Chop,	"	190	手排	手排
Leg,	"	200	手排	手排
" Shoulder,	"	180	手排	手排
Pig's Chittlings	catty	70	60	猪腰
" Feet,	"	130	猪腰	猪腰
Fry,	"	160	猪腰	猪腰
Head,	each	500	500	猪心
Heart,	"	50	40	猪心
Kidneys,	pair	70	—	猪肝
Liver,	lb.	160	—	猪肝
Pork, Chop,	catty	20	—	猪肝
" Corned,	"	330	—	猪肝
Leg,	"	260	—	猪油
Fat or Lard,	"	180	—	猪油
Suckling Pigs,	each \$1.75	\$1.25	—	猪油
Butt, Best,	lb.	100	—	猪油
" Mutton,	"	140	—	生油
Veal,	catty	180	—	生油
Poultry.			生仔	生仔
Chicken,	catty	250	—	生仔
Capon,	"	250	—	生仔
Ducks,	"	160	—	生仔
Doves,	each	—	生仔	生仔
Egg, Hen,	doz.	120	—	生仔
" Duck,	"	140	—	生仔
Quails,	catty	180	—	生仔
Geese,	"	190	—	生仔
Hares,	each	400	—	生仔
Musk Deer,	"	900	—	生仔
Partridges,	"	800	—	生仔
Pigeons,	"	200	—	生仔
Phasian,	brace	850	—	生仔
Rico Birds,	doz.	—	—	生仔
Quail,	each	110	—	生仔
Snipe,	"	150	—	生仔
Turkeys, Cook,	catty	100	—	生仔
" Hen,	"	90	—	生仔
Toads,	each	250	—	生仔
Wild Ducks,	pair	60	—	生仔
Fish.			海鮮	海鮮
Barbel,	catty	140	—	魚
Bream,	"	10	—	魚
Bonny Duck,	pieces	300	—	魚
Oton Fresh Water Fish,	catty	100	—	魚
Carp,	"	110	—	魚
Catfish,	"	—	小魚	小魚
Codfish, Salt,	"	120	—	魚
Drake,	"	160	—	魚
Ottie Fish,	"	310	—	魚
Dab,	"	10	—	沙丁魚
Daoo,	"	90	—	魚
Dog Fish,	"	—	—	魚
Mels, Congos,	"	—	—	魚
" Fresh water,	"	180	—	魚
Mels, Yellow,	"	120	—	魚
Pila Fish,	"	—	—	魚
Frogs,	"	250	—	魚
Fresh Fish,	"	110	—	魚
Gurnops,	"	18	—	魚
Gudgeon,	"	100	—	魚
Gurnard,	"	80	—	魚
Herrings,	"	12	—	白魚
" smoked	box	—	—	白魚
Hillock,	catty	100	—	白魚
Layton,	"	120	—	白魚
Lobster,	"	140	—	白魚
Bobster,	"	160	—	白魚
Mackerel,	"	—	—	白魚
Black Fish,	"	900	—	白魚
Salmon,	"	100	—	白魚
Oysters,	"	180	—	白魚
Prawns,	"	120	—	白魚
Fish,	"	110	—	白魚

Place, . . . . .  
Pike, . . . . .  
Plaice, . . . . .  
Pomfret, White . . . . .  
Pomfret, Black . . . . .  
Prawns, . . . . .  
Ray, . . . . .  
Rock Fish, . . . . .  
Roe, . . . . .  
Salmon, (Canton), . . . . .  
Shark, . . . . .  
Sail Fish, . . . . .  
Skate, . . . . .  
Shrimps, . . . . .  
Snapper, . . . . .  
Soles, . . . . .  
Tench, . . . . .  
Turbot, . . . . .  
Turtles, small, fresh water, . . . . .  
Whiting, . . . . .  
White Hake, . . . . .

## Fruits.

Apple (California), . . . . .	catty	350	梨子
" (Tientsin), . . . . .	—	—	金山梨
" (Japan), . . . . .	—	—	平果
Bananas, fragrant, . . . . .	dozen	30	日本平果
" (brides), . . . . .	dozen	30	香蕉
Chestnuts, Chinese, . . . . .	100	山楂	
Carambola, . . . . .	—	鳳梨	
Cocoanuts, . . . . .	each	70	椰子
Ground Nuts, . . . . .	catty	90	花生
Grapes, . . . . .	dozen	30	葡萄
Lemons, China, . . . . .	50	檸檬	
" Peel, . . . . .	—	橘皮	
Lichees, Dried, . . . . .	450	荔枝	
" Fresh, . . . . .	—	荔枝	
Limes, . . . . .	—	檸檬	
Mango, (Saigon), . . . . .	each	—	芒
" (Manila), . . . . .	—	芒	
Mangosteens, . . . . .	dozen	—	芒
Oranges, Sweet, . . . . .	catty	10	橘子
" Green, . . . . .	—	橘子	
" Red, . . . . .	—	橘子	
" Coolit, . . . . .	—	橘子	
Olives, . . . . .	100	橄欖	
Pine-apples, . . . . .	each	80	鳳梨
Pears, . . . . .	catty	140	梨
" (Tientsin), . . . . .	—	梨	
Plum, Red, . . . . .	each	10	李子
Punelo, . . . . .	each	10	李子
" (Siam), . . . . .	catty	20	李子
Raisins, Muscatel, . . . . .	—	葡萄干	
Pudding, . . . . .	—	布丁	
Water Chestnut, com., . . . . .	40	芋頭	
" Mandarin, . . . . .	40	芋頭	
Walnuts, . . . . .	130	核桃	

## Vegetables, &amp;c.

Artichokes, Shanghai, . . . . .	catty	50	菜花
Beans, (French), . . . . .	80	豆	
" Long, . . . . .	—	豆	
Beet Root, . . . . .	each	20	甜菜
Brussels, Green, . . . . .	catty	30	青花
" Red, . . . . .	—	青花	
Brassicas, . . . . .	20	芥蘭	
Bamboo Shoots, . . . . .	—	竹筍	
Cabbage, Chinese com., . . . . .	30	芥菜	
Cabbage, . . . . .	each	80	芥菜
Carrot, . . . . .	catty	60	蘿蔔
Colic, Chinese, . . . . .	50	芥菜	
" English, . . . . .	60	蘿蔔	
Chillies Dried, . . . . .	180	辣椒	
" Red, . . . . .	90	辣椒	
Curry Staff, English, . . . . .	60	芥末	
Cucumbers, . . . . .	80	青瓜	
Bitter Squash, . . . . .	—	苦瓜	
Garlic, . . . . .	50	蒜	
Guava, young, . . . . .	50	木瓜	
Horse Radish, S. Kali, . . . . .	180	芥末	
Indian Corn, . . . . .	piece	—	玉米
Lettuce, (English), . . . . .	each	10	生菜
Mushrooms, Fresh, . . . . .	catty	—	蘑菇
Onions, Bomboy, . . . . .	80	洋蔥	
" Green, . . . . .	30	洋蔥	
" Shanghai, . . . . .	—	洋蔥	
" Japan, . . . . .	70	洋蔥	
Ox-tongue, . . . . .	—	牛舌	
Parsley, English, . . . . .	bundle	10	香菜
Potatoes, Sweet, . . . . .	catty	80	馬鈴薯
" Shanghai, . . . . .	—	馬鈴薯	
" Japan, . . . . .	20	馬鈴薯	
" American, . . . . .	60	馬鈴薯	
" Fuchow, . . . . .	60	馬鈴薯	
" Macao, . . . . .	60	馬鈴薯	
Pumpkin, . . . . .	20	南瓜	
Purple, . . . . .	5	紫甘藍	
Papaw, . . . . .	20	芭樂	
Radish, . . . . .	dozen	20	白蘿蔔
Rice, best quality, per pound, . . . . .	15	米	
" Common, . . . . .	—	米	
Shallots, . . . . .	catty	50	薑
Spinach, (Chinese), . . . . .	—	菠菜	
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# THE CHINA MAIL.

MONDAY, JANUARY 17, 1898.

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LONDON.—F. ALGAE, 11 & 12, Queen's Lane, Lombard Street, E.C. GEORGE STUART & CO., 30, Cornhill. GORDON & GOTON, Ludgate Circus, E.C. HENRY & CO., 37, Walbrook, E.C. SAMUEL DRAKE & CO., 150 & 154, Leadenhall Street, W.M. WILLS, 151, Cannon Street, E.C. ROBERT WATSON, 156, Fleet Street.	
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### ROTISSERIE, Meals à la Carte.

CHOPS, STEAKS, etc., etc., at any time, between 7.30 a.m. and 11.30 p.m.

Monthly Boarders at Moderate Rates.

Madar & Farmer,  
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Hongkong, September 3, 1898.

## WINDSOR HOTEL, HONGKONG.

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P. BOHM,  
Proprietor and Manager,  
Hongkong, September 27, 1897.

## THOMAS'S GRILL ROOM.

THIS Establishment has undergone extensive alterations. The DINING ROOM being now upstairs, and a Large BILLIARD ROOM (having Two, I Burrough and Watt Tables) being added to the Hotel.

### ROOMS FOR PRIVATE DINNERS, &c.

Entrances:—Ice House Lane, Queen's Road, and Duddell Street.

### J. C. GOODCHILD, Manager,

1898 THOMAS'S GRILL ROOM.

### SHARE LIST—QUOTATIONS.—JANUARY 17, 1898.

Stocks.	No. of Shares.	Value.	Paid up.	Closing Quotations, Cash.	Buyers.
BANKS.					
Hongkong and Shanghai Bank Corp.	80,000	\$ 12	all	186 % prem. = \$357.50.	
Bank of China & Japan, Limited.	39,950	\$ 6	6 nom.		[buyers]
" preference shares	19,950	\$ 8 2.10	1	25.5, buyers	
" ordinary "	1,200	\$ 16	16	30, sales	
National Bank of China, Limited...					
MAINS INSURANCES.					
Canton Insurance Co., Ltd...	10,000	\$ 25.5	60	\$150, ex div.	
China Traders' Insurance Co., Ltd...	24,000	\$ 83.33	50	\$71, sales	
"	50	\$ 100	100	125, Ibs. 198	
North-China Insurance Co., Ltd...	30,000	\$ 19.5	10	225, sales	
Straits Insurance Co., Ltd...	30,000	\$ 19.5	10	225, sellers	
Union Insurance Society, Ltd...	10,000	\$ 25	30	\$225, sellers	
Yangtze Insurance Association, Ltd.	8,000	\$ 10	6	\$145	
VIBR. INSURANCES.					
China Fire Insurance Co., Ltd...	20,000	\$ 100	20	\$167.5, buyers	
Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Ltd...	8,000	\$ 250	50	\$75	
DOCKS.					
Hongkong & Whampoa Dock Co., Ltd.	12,500	\$ 12	all	227 % prem. = \$408.75.	
DRUMMERS.					
China Sugar Company, Limited...	20,000	\$ 50	50	\$76, sellers	
Luzon Sugar Company, Limited...	7,000	\$ 100	100	\$162, buyers	
WHARVES.					
HK. & Kow. Wharf & Godown Co.	20,000	\$ 50	all	258	
Wanchai Warehouse and Storage Company, Limited.....	2,600	\$ 100	37	\$412	
LAND AND BUILDING.					
Hongkong Land Investment, and Agency Company, Limited....	50,000	\$ 100	5	\$74, sellers	
Kowloon Land and Building Com- pany...	8,000	\$ 50	3	\$10, sellers	
Humphreys' Estate & Finance Co.	25,400	\$ 16	10	\$94, sellers	
West Point Building Co., Limited.	12,500	\$ 50	4	\$22	
TRAMWAYS.					
H.K. High Level Tramways Co., Ltd.	1,250	\$ 100	all	\$105, ex div., buyers	
MINING.					
Jelbo Mining & Trading Co., Ltd...	10,000	\$ 5	5	\$2	
New Punglo Mining Co., Ltd...	50,000	\$ 5	4	\$60, buyers	
" Preference shares.	50,000	\$ 1	all	\$140, buyers	
Great Eastern and Galadine Gold Mining Co., Ltd...	18,000	\$ 5	5	\$61.0, sales	
South African Gold Min- ing Co., Ltd...	52,000	\$ 5	2	\$31.0, buyers	
Bo. (new issue)	20,000	\$ 10	2	\$23.0, buyers	
DRUMMERS.					
China Sugar Company, Limited...	20,000	\$ 5	100	\$162, buyers	
Luzon Sugar Company, Limited...	7,000	\$ 100	100	\$53, sellers	
HK. & Kow. Wharf & Godown Co.	20,000	\$ 50	50	258	
Wanchai Warehouse and Storage Company, Limited.....	2,600	\$ 100	37	\$412	
LAND AND BUILDING.					
Hongkong Land Investment, and Agency Company, Limited....	50,000	\$ 100	5	\$74, sellers	
Kowloon Land and Building Com- pany...	8,000	\$ 50	3	\$10, sellers	
Humphreys' Estate & Finance Co.	25,400	\$ 16	10	\$94, sellers	
West Point Building Co., Limited.	12,500	\$ 50	4	\$22	
TRAMWAYS.					
H.K. High Level Tramways Co., Ltd.	1,250	\$ 100	all	\$105, ex div., buyers	
MINING.					
Jelbo Mining & Trading Co., Ltd...	10,000	\$ 5	5	\$2	
New Punglo Mining Co., Ltd...	50,000	\$ 5	4	\$60, buyers	
" Preference shares.	50,000	\$ 1	all	\$140, buyers	
Great Eastern and Galadine Gold Mining Co., Ltd...	18,000	\$ 5	5	\$61.0, sales	
South African Gold Min- ing Co., Ltd...	52,000	\$ 5	2	\$31.0, buyers	
Bo. (new issue)	20,000	\$ 10	2	\$23.0, buyers	
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Luzon Sugar Company, Limited...	7,000	\$ 100	100	\$53, sellers	
HK. & Kow. Wharf & Godown Co.	20,000	\$ 50	50	258	
Wanchai Warehouse and Storage Company, Limited.....	2,600	\$ 100	37	\$412	
LAND AND BUILDING.					
Hongkong Land Investment, and Agency Company, Limited....	50,000	\$ 100	5	\$74, sellers	
Kowloon Land and Building Com- pany...	8,000	\$ 50	3	\$10, sellers	
Humphreys' Estate & Finance Co.	25,400	\$ 16	10	\$94, sellers	
West Point Building Co., Limited.	12,500	\$ 50	4	\$22	
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New Punglo Mining Co., Ltd...	50,000	\$ 5	4	\$60, buyers	
" Preference shares.	50,000	\$ 1	all	\$140, buyers	
Great Eastern and Galadine Gold Mining Co., Ltd...	18,000	\$ 5	5	\$61.0, sales	
South African Gold Min- ing Co., Ltd...	52,000	\$ 5	2	\$31.0, buyers	
Bo. (new issue)	20,000	\$ 10	2	\$23.0, buyers	
DRUMMERS.					
China Sugar Company, Limited...	20,000	\$ 5	100	\$162, buyers	
Luzon Sugar Company, Limited...	7,000	\$ 100	100	\$53, sellers	
HK. & Kow. Wharf & Godown Co.	20,000	\$ 50	50	258	
Wanchai Warehouse and Storage Company, Limited.....	2,600	\$ 100	37	\$412	
LAND AND BUILDING.					
Hongkong Land Investment, and Agency Company, Limited....	50,000	\$ 100	5	\$74, sellers	
Kowloon Land and Building Com- pany...	8,000	\$ 50	3	\$10, sellers	
Humphreys' Estate & Finance Co.	25,400	\$ 16	10	\$94, sellers	
West Point Building Co., Limited.	12,500	\$ 50	4	\$22	
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Kowloon Land and Building Com- pany...	8,000	\$ 50	3	\$10, sellers	
Humphreys' Estate & Finance Co.	25,400	\$ 16	10	\$94, sellers	
West Point Building Co., Limited.	12,500	\$ 50	4	\$22	
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